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Via Email and U.S. First Class Mail to:

FOIA Officer
United States Environmental Protection Agency
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1200 6th Avenue, Suite 900
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RE: Freedom of Information Act Request re the Su-Knik Mitigation bank 5 U.S.C. §552

Dear FOIA Officer:

Please be advised that I represent Mr. Scott Walther, a citizen of Wasilla, Alaska. Your agency was/is part of the Interagency Review Team assigned to the Su-Knik Mitigation Bank. Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. §552, I hereby request, on behalf of my client, copies of any and all documents containing or describing specific evidence that the properties encumbered by conservation easements and made part of the Su-Knik Mitigation Bank were under threat of destruction or adverse modification.

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. §552, please respond to this request within twenty (20) business days of receipt. If access to the records I am requesting will take longer than this amount of time, please contact me immediately with information as to when I might expect copies of the requested records. In the event you choose to deny any portion of this request, or this request in its entirety, please cite each and every specific exemption under which you have denied this request, or any portion thereof, and notify me of the appeal procedures available to my client under the law.

If there are any fees associated with searching for and/or copying these records, please inform me of same immediately and payment will be forwarded promptly. This information is not being sought for any commercial purpose.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have.

Sincerely

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cc: Scott Walther